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Application No.: 10/643,134

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Applicant: Walter Ruhli

Group Art Unit: 3652

Examiner: Janice L. Krizek

Title: SEPARATING ARRANGEMENT FOR A CARTONING MACHINE

Attorney Docket: 3587-000008

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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